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EARLINGTON, HOPKINS COUNTY, KY., THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1906.

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HOPKINS COUNTY

Medical Society Met in Earlington Last Week.

WERE GUESTS OF ST. BERNARD.

Below is a group of Hopkins county's progressive physicians who are members of the Hopkins County Medical Society. The society met in Earlington last week, as was stated in *The Bee*, and were entertained by the St. Bernard Mining Co., at the office of Drs. Nisbet, Sisk and Johnson. After the business session was concluded they adjourned to the Hotel Victoria, where the following delightful menu was served:

Fruit Cocktail
Consomme
Celery
Crackers
Baked Shad
Cucumbers
Brown Bread
Mock Terrapin
Olives
Chicken a la Maryland
Peas
Potatoes
Roman Punch
Russian Salad
Ice Cream and Cake
Cheese
Crackers
Coffee

After having regaled them selves with these tempting viands they were grouped by Photographer Corbett for the accompanying cut. The fact that these gentlemen had just dined no doubt accounts for their pleased expression.

There were sixteen members present and a very interesting programme was carried out. The visiting members expressed themselves as having a most enjoyable as well as a profitable visit and each had something nice to say of Earlington and her people.

FIRE IN REINECKE MINES

Has Been Extinguished—Amount of Damage was Small.

The fire that broke out and gained considerable headway in the south entry of Reinecke mines a few days ago has been extinguished by flooding this part of the mine.

The work was done under the supervision of the foremen of the St. Bernard, Victoria and Reinecke mines. Work in the other parts of the mine went right on without interruption.

LABOR DAY

Celebrated in Madisonville—Rain Spoiled Dinner.

Labor Day was observed by some of the laboring men of Hopkins county in Madisonville Monday. A parade was formed at the foot of Brasher Hill and about 500 men marched from that place to Spring Lake Park. Capt. Ed Young and Bradley Wilson, acting chairman of the Farmers' Organization, headed the procession, followed by the Madisonville brass band, the city council and representatives of various organizations.

The largest delegation were the farmers of Hopkins county numbering about 200. The crowd was quiet and orderly. Unfortunately, the dinner, consisting of a quantity of barbecued meats with bread and pickles, was partially spoiled by the hard rain at the noon hour.

NEW FIRM

Bourland & Mothershead Getting Ready for Business.

Henry Bourland and George Mothershead yesterday began invoicing the stock of goods recently purchased by them of W. C. McLeod. The remainder of

JAMES SMITH

Agents for L. & N. at Slaughterville Commits Suicide.

James Smith, the nineteen-year-old son of Mr. Winfield Smith, of Slaughterville, took morphine yesterday morning at 8:15 and killed himself. Conductor Eastwood, on local left Slaughterville about 8:12 a. m. and Smith said to him just prior to the train's pulling out: "When you return I will either be gone or shot to death." Eastwood saw the boy was in trouble, but had no idea it was serious. In a few moments after the train left Smith pulled a vial from his pocket and in the presence of Rudolph Ashby, his assistant, took the contents. In a short time he began to stagger around in the office and Ashby, becoming uneasy, went for assistance. When Ashby left the office Smith started to his home and was found in an unconscious condition. He was carried home and medical assistance summoned as quickly as possible, but it was too late to save him. Smith has been agent at Slaughterville only a few weeks. His father is a prosperous merchant of that place and well known. It is not positively known just what caused the young man to commit suicide, but it is known that he was in trouble.

NEW FIRM

In Madisonville Has Formal Opening—Many People in Attendance.

The enterprising firm of Barkus & Spero had their formal opening in Madisonville Saturday. They are located in the Harvey Block and handle an exclusive line of men's and youth's furnishing goods. Quite a delegation of Earlington people at

SOLDIER BOYS

Who Made Splendid Record at Camp Harris.

COMPANY G OF EARLINGTON.

In this issue of the *Bee* is given a cut of Earlington's crack Military Company. This picture was taken while the boys were in camp at Henderson last week where they made a record to be proud of. This company is composed of Earlington boys and they conducted themselves in a creditable manner while on the encampment as is their custom.

COMPANY G MAN

Makes Best Record on Target Practice in the Third Regiment.

The cut shown below is a very good likeness of Private Roy L. Buck, of Company G, Earlington, who established a new record on rifle target shooting at Henderson last week by making a score of 118 out of 150.

He also came very near winning the State medal, missing it by a small margin. He made a score of 41 at the 200 yard range, where the marksmen shoot in a standing position; at the 300 yard range, at which fir-

MORTALITY

Great White Plague Causes More Deaths Than any Other Disease.

SHIRT WAIST ADVOCATED FOR SOLDIERS.

English Government Has Trouble Competing With Private Telegraph Lines.

Washington, Sept. 3.—One of the most interesting reports ever compiled by the government is that on "Mortality" just gotten out by the Census Bureau. If



MEMBERS OF COMPANY G, OF EARLINGTON, WHILE THEY WERE AT CAMP HARRIS RECENTLY.

Read from left to right: Kneeling—Sergeant Lawson Miles, Private Barrett, Private Vincent, Corp. Tweedie, Private Davis, Corp. Harris, Private Jones, Private Withers, Private Brewster, Corp. Evans, Private Brinkley, Private Britton, Sergeant Payton. Standing—Second Lieut. Tom Long, First Lieut. Henry Rogers, Capt. Paul Price, Sergeant Reuben Miles, Corp. Myers, Private Skeen, Private Russell, Private Jordan, Artillery Stokes, Private Smothers, Private Caswell, Sergeant Woolfolk, Corp. Lafoon, Private Melton, Sergeant Wyatt.

While at Henderson this company was inspected by Gen. Roger Williams who complimented Capt. Paul Price on the splendid showing his company made.

Not satisfied with having the honor of best marksmen at Paducah last year company G also bore off the honors at Henderson this year as having the best Marksmen in the 3rd regiment. It is possible if not probable that company G will next year go to Jamestown, Va., for their encampment. This will give them a chance to visit the exposition which will then be in progress.

ing is done in either a kneeling or sitting position, 41 was registered; while at the 500 yard range, where shooting is only allowed by the marksmen living on his stomach and resting on the elbows, 31 was scored.

This record is a remarkable one, as Mr. Buck had just been relieved from guard duty, having been on guard 24 hours, but notwithstanding this fact he made the best score of the regiment. The regimental and company medals were fastened upon him by Col. Henry in the presence of about a thousand people, who

there be any manner of "shuffling off" known to mortal man which is not found in the 800 pages of this report, it must be rare, indeed, for although the figures are compiled for only eleven states known as the "registration area", the population covered represents about one-third of the whole United States. Of all the various causes of death as shown by the figures, tuberculosis is the commonest. Out of 2,642,556 cases classified by the report, 316,700 were due to the great white plague, which, as is generally known, is commonest in crowded communities. Pneumonia, coming next, accounted for 265,894 deaths in the registration area. Like tuberculosis, the report shows it to be more prevalent in cities. Typhoid fever, of which so much is heard, comes pretty well down the list, with 55,857 deaths at its door, a larger proportion of which occur in the early fall. It comes below heart disease—a very elastic term—with 192,549 deaths; intestinal troubles, with 160,107; Bright's disease, with 139,320; apoplexy with 110,166; cancer with 106,119; and bronchitis with 62,883, and is closely followed by meningitis and diphtheria and croup—a very fragmentary list of a few of the more acute ills to which flesh is heir. Suicides numbered during the period and in the area covered by the figures, 20,834, or about 1 per cent of all deaths. The most common method is by poison, firearms and strangulation following, the latter method being more prevalent in the country districts. Apparently the two periods which mark the beginning and the end of the heated term are most dangerous to human life. Various diseases manifest greater activity in metropolitan or rural areas, as the case may be, and while it is easy to understand why tuberculosis should be more active in the cities, it is not quite so easy to explain why typhoid fever is much more prevalent in the country. Diseases of the nervous system likewise occur about as often in the small town as in the large city, in spite of the nervous



MEMBERS OF HOPKINS COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY AND FRIENDS, WHO WERE PRESENT AT MEETING HERE LAST WEEK AS GUESTS OF THE ST. BERNARD MINING COMPANY.

Read from left to right: First row, sitting—Dr. Elliot Finley, Jr., Bryan Hopper, Dr. Nisbet, President. Second row, sitting—Dr. Thomas, Dr. Long, Jr., Secretary, Dr. Brasher, Dr. Bory, Dr. Bona, Dr. Finley, Sr., Dr. Sisk, Dr. Davis, Vice President. Third row, standing—Dr. Nichols, Dr. Earl, Draggist Keith, Dr. Keith, Dr. Roy Robinson, Jno. X. Taylor, Dr. Moody, Jno. B. Atkinson, Dr. Dixon.

Sanders-Walling.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Sanders, of near Goodlettsville, Tenn., and Mr. Walter Walling occurred at the home of the bride on Thursday of last week. The bride is a favorite with all in the community where she resided and has a host of friends. The groom is employed as broke man on the Henderson division of the L. & N. R. R., and is a worthy young man. They will make their home at this place.

Crd of Thanks

I desire by this method to express my thanks to the kind friends who so faithfully administered to me in my recent bereavement. May God remember you in your hour of sorrow is my earnest wish.

MRS. VERNON BALDWIN

the week they will spend in getting things ready for the opening of the new firm, Bourland & Mothershead, at W. C. McLeod's old stand on Railroad street, Monday, Sept. 10. Mr. Bourland has been connected with the St. Bernard Co. store for twenty-three years and Mr. Mothershead for the past ten years. Each have many friends who hope to see them succeed in their new enterprise.

Earlier Than Usual

The tax penalty will go into effect one month earlier this year than has been the custom of previous years. One change that has been made in collecting taxes is that of levying on personal property first to pay off the indebtedness of the defendant to the commonwealth. These executions will be made out by the Sheriff on November 25th and the penalty goes into effect November 1st.

tended and were more than pleased with the tasty arrangement of goods and were favorably impressed with the charming personality of both members of the firm.

"All is Fair in Love and War"

This was proven Tuesday night at Henderson when Cecil Hays, a soldier boy of Henderson, at Camp Harris, and Miss Cordie Greer, of St. Charles, were quietly married by Justice of the Peace E. Poole at 11 o'clock. The young people were acquainted before, but the courtship had not advanced far, till he beheld him in his soldier attire, but then and there Cupid shot her heart and she visited the camp after drill and in a short while the words were said which will cause them to settle down for a long camp in Fort Matrimony.

EIGHT HUNDRED MEN

Walk Out of I. C. Shops Because no Ice Water is Furnished.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 4.—Because there was no ice water supplied at 7 o'clock this morning for the hundreds of blacksmiths, boilermakers and helpers in the Illinois Central shops, the entire force walked out and gave the company until 1 o'clock to fill the barrels with ice water.

The officials said that the men who have this in charge failed to get the ice to the shops on time. The supply was rubbed to the shops on a special engine, and this afternoon the men went back to work. About 800 were affected.

Sunday Outing

A number of Earlington young folks spent Sunday in Dawson, leaving here at an early hour and driving through the country.

The party was in honor of the Misses Hayden, the charming visitors of the Misses Ford. Well filled baskets were taken and enjoyed by all, especially worthy of mention was the basket taken by Mr. Jim Maloney and contained such an excellent array of good things. Among those who composed the party were Misses Drew and Bernice Hayden, Lena King, Sadie Stokes, Sue Ford, Mary Barry, Mable Gough, Richie Stone, Nannie Sganberry, Messrs. Elmer Davis, Frank and Harry Withers, Jim Maloney, Reginald McEuen, Brick Southworth, Arden Livingston, Henry Martin and Nell Byrd.



PRIVATE ROY L. BUCK. Best Marksmen in the 3rd Inf., K. & O.

applauded when the presentation was made.

Mr. Buck is also entitled to a trip to Sea Girt, N. J., next year, when the annual tournament between the best marksmen in the United States army and those of the State Guard occurs.

Post Office Discontinued

People living in the Ansonia neighborhood are to be served by rural route No. 3 running out of Madisonville as the post office there will be discontinued after Sept. 15th.

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It Pays to Advertise.

SHORT LOCALS

Jas. R. Dean is ill this week.

Wanted—100 more customers at L. E. McEuen's.

The Catholic school opened this week with a full attendance.

Receiving fresh groceries every day at L. E. McEuen's.

Rev. Geo. C. Abbott held his regular monthly service at the library Tuesday evening.

Sewing machine needles for all makes for sale at John X. Taylor's drug store. 3944.

Will Larmouth, who is ill of typhoid fever, is resting as comfortably as could be expected.

If you want good goods cheap and always fresh try L. E. McEuen.

Rev. J. B. Adams, of Madisonville, preached an able sermon Sunday morning at the M. E. Church, South, to a good sized audience.

Insure your household goods with J. T. Coenen. Risk is great and cost small. Telephone 60 ring 3.

Evangelist Pat Davis, of Russellville, is holding a series of meetings in the M. E. Church, South, Madisonville, with good success.

L. E. McEuen will treat you right and at low goods cheap. Call and see him.

T. M. Gooch, who has been on the road for quite a number of years drumming, has engaged in the insurance business in Madisonville.

Female on easy payments at Taylor's Drug Store the celebrated Singer and Wheeler & Wilson Machines.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Robinson, who have made their home here for the past year, have moved to Madisonville, where they will reside.

If you are looking for a place to trade give L. E. McEuen a trial. He will treat you right.

The Aid Society of the M. E. Church, South, will meet Monday afternoon at 1:30 with Mrs. Strother Hancock. All who can are requested to attend.

Just received—a nice lot of Caps to please all at L. E. McEuen's.

Miss Anna Rice has returned from St. Louis, where she has purchased a beautiful line of fall millinery goods. She will probably have her fall opening on September 27th.

A full page of "Pitts Point for Pond-ring People" in the Searchlight each month. Send 2c for sample. Address The Searchlight, Rushville, Tenn.

Dr. W. T. McNary, of San Jose, Cal., who has been visiting relatives and friends in Hopkins county for the past three months, returned to his California home last week.

Just received at L. E. McEuen's—a full line of Gloves, Overalls and Shirts. Call and see them.

Quite a party of young people spent the day at the popular resort, Dawson Springs, Sunday. They carried baskets of good things and lunched at the cliffs on the river.

Groceries! Groceries! Groceries! All you want. If you don't believe it try L. E. McEuen and see.

C. A. Moore, recently Train Dispatcher at this place, is now located at Emporia, Kansas on the Santa Fe Railroad holding the same position there.

We have everything you want in the grocery line—it is not too late for you. Try us and see. L. E. McEuen.

A girl baby came into the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Wendell, of Murfreesboro, Tenn., last week. Mr. and Mrs. Wendell for a number of years made their home at Hecla and are well known here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Montague left Tuesday for Dixon where they will make their home. Mr. Montague, who has been manager of the Cumberland Telephone system at this place for several years, has been rewarded for his good services and made manager of the company at McDon, Providence, Wheatcroft and Blackford, a merited promotion. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Montague regret to see them go.

Mrs. Albert Toombs was called last week to the bedside of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hibbs, of the Grapevine country. Both of whom are seriously ill of typhoid fever.

We have a full line of groceries, also handle a full line of gente furnishings. If you are in need of anything call at L. E. McEuen's.

Dr. C. B. Johnson, who last week left for Louisville to visit his parents, is detained there indefinitely with a case of blood poisoning from which he is suffering. His friends hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

The Missionary Baptist church at this place has been newly papered and painted. It presents a neat and attractive appearance and is now one of the handsomest places of worship in the city.

Singer or Wheeler & Wilson Machines for sale at Taylor's Drug Store on payment of 50 cents per week. Old machines taken in exchange. 3944.

Mrs. Bettie Stevens, of this place, presented J. R. Dean this week with a well preserved and savory cigar made by her brother, Robt. Stevens, sixty-five years ago. This is no doubt one of the oldest cigars in possession in town.

Last Thursday evening a number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell enjoyed the hospitality of their country home on the Madisonville roads where the guests partook of a watermelon feast, the sweet juicy melons being products of their farms.

Misses David and Berukia Haden, of Owensboro, and Rockport, who have been the guests of the Misses Ford, of this place, returned home yesterday. These charming young ladies made many friends among the young folks of the city.

The St. Bernard Drug Store people hit on an original advertising scheme this week. In one of the front windows they placed a tasteful array of shaving mugs, brushes, razors, etc., then pasted a large piece of paper over the window with a small peep hole in the middle. Over the hole was printed, "For Men Only." In five minutes after this paper had been placed half the men in town had looked and several of the fair sex were making inquiries.

Misses Hazel, Lucy and Julia Pawcett are visiting relatives in Guthrie this week.

Jewell Webb, of Middleboro, Ky., visited his brother, Charlie Webb, here one day last week.

Miss Fannie Steele, of New York City, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Martin first of the week.

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Miss Francis Susan McElfatrick left for Fort Wayne, Ind., after spending her vacation with the family of M. Hanna.

James Maloney, of the firm of J. M. Victory & Co., has gone to Cincinnati, where he will attend the fall festival and buy goods.

Mike Long, who some time ago went west on pleasure and prospecting tour, is at Yellowstone Park. He is expected home in a few days.

A. D. Sisk, the popular merchant of Madisonville, who has been in New York buying a big line of Xmas goods, returned home Friday night.

Miss Hallie Eaves, of Greenville, stopped off on her return home from the encampment last week and made a short visit to Miss Celeste Moore.

Grover Long and Miss Maggie Mitchell, of this place, and Harry Holland and Miss Winnie Ashby, of Madisonville, spent Sunday in Dawson Springs.

PERSONALS

Jeff McEuen was in Nortonville Sunday.

Mike Cain, of Mortons Gap, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Anley, of Hanson, visited here this week.

J. M. Oldham returned from a trip to St. Louis yesterday.

Hon. Ruby Laffoon, of Madisonville, was in the city Sunday.

Miss Nannie Kestner, of Howell, visited friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Evans and boys spent last Friday in St. Louis.

Mrs. Elsie Robinson is visiting relatives in Missouri this week.

Mrs. Hettie Lewis, of Nashville, visited Mrs. Jim Long last week.

Mrs. Clarence Lynn and children are visiting relatives in St. Louis.

Mrs. Lucy Bean and daughter, of Madisonville, visited here Saturday.

Misses Ruby G. Sisk and Mattie Wilkey visited in Nortonville Sunday.

Sam Lutz, of Stanhope, visited his sister, Mrs. G. T. McEuen, this week.

Misses Myrthe Adeock and Mackie Anderson visited in Henderson this week.

Miss Mary Barry, of Paducah, is the guest of Miss Mabel Gough this week.

Mrs. W. I. Kilue is home from an extended visit to relatives in Tennessee.

Ed. Hendricks and daughter, Miss Davie, were in the city yesterday afternoon.

Miss Amelia Price, of Madisonville, visited Paul P. Price and family Sunday.

Chas. Seymour, of Madisonville, visited the family of W. L. Gordon, Jr., Monday.

Misses Fanny Rule and Elizabeth Kemp spent yesterday afternoon in Madisonville.

Miss Elizabeth Kemp visited Miss Marie Whitfield in the country this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rule visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hatch Whitfield, Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Littlefield has returned to her home in St. Louis after a visit to friends here.

Mrs. R. H. Weil, of Hanson, visited her mother, Mrs. Majors, the first of the week.

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Petition Withdrawn.

The petition that has been before the county court for several days asking that a vote be taken in the county under the provision of the County Unit Law, has been withdrawn by a committee representing the petitioners. It is supposed the reason for the action was on account of some similar test cases on in two or three counties and will be settled by appeals to the Court of Appeals in due time.

The petitions asking for separate elections in Madisonville, Dawson and Nortonville were also withdrawn and consequently there will be controversy over the whisky question in this county this year.

Resolutions.

Hopkins Lodge No. 61, A. O. U. W. Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty Father to remove from our midst our beloved brother, Ed McLeod, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Brother McLeod, Hopkins Lodge No. 61, A. O. U. W., of Earlington, Ky., has lost with an irreparable loss, the community an honorable man and useful citizen and his children a devoted and loving father.

Resolved, That Hopkins Lodge deeply sympathizes with the family of Brother McLeod in this, their hour of deepest affliction, and commends them to Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That our charter be dropped for thirty days, also that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the lodge, a copy be sent to the Kentucky Workman for publication, also to the EARLINGTON BEE for publication and to the family under seal of the Lodge to the family.

Y. Q. WALKER,

J. A. PARKER,

E. R. BARNETT,

Committee.

City's Honey and Tar

Knights of Pythias Lodge of this place is on the increase. There were petitions presented at last meeting night for ten new members. The old members are waking up and taking fresh hold of the work. It is reported the lodge will give a banquet to its friends in the near future.

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Splendid Blend Coffee.....	25c lb	Cups & Saucers, pure white china 75c set
Mocha and Java Coffee....	3 lbs. \$1.00	Dinner Plates, green and gold decoration.....
Heekins' Pure Extracts.....	10c bottle	Fancy Decorated Lamps No. 2, 75 to 90c
Hilo Baking Powder.....	3 1-lb. cans 25c	Fancy Decorated Lamps No. 1, 50 and 65c
U. S. Mail Soap (Regular 5c)	10 bars 25c	Comb'n Jelly and Milk Glasses 35c doz.
Fel's Naphtha Soap.....	5c bar	Mason Fruit Jars, 1/2 gal.....
Alaska Salmon.....	10c can	Mason Fruit Jars, 1 qt.....
Olive Oil.....	1/2 pt. bottle 25c	

We have just received a line of Japanese and German hand decorated China in odd pieces of all kinds. These goods represent the very highest character of decorative art and make desirable wedding or birthday gifts. Prices very reasonable.

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Entire purchase now in, embracing some of ALL the FAVORITES of this season.

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am	11:29 am	2:10 pm	5:00 pm	8:10 pm
am	11:35 am	2:15 pm	5:15 pm	8:25 pm

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A WORD WITH ADVERTISERS

Guard against this lethargy overtaking you. It is a hold on a merchant it is like the "sleeping sickness" that attacks travelers in India. Once it has a hold on a man, he is marked, and it is pretty hard to save him.
It is easy to get into this frame of mind, but mighty hard to get out of it. All that necessary to get into it is to admit that there is such a thing as a dull season and then let up on efforts and wait for it. A merchant will not have to wait long, for it approaches with giant strides, in leaps and bounds, and the merchant who is overtaken by it will discover a wolfish look on the right side of his balance sheet at the end of the business year.
When you begin to think about the dull season in your locality, stop for a minute and consider the editors of the various trade papers you receive and remember that unless they kept up under full head of steam at all times and under all circumstances, you would not read their papers and they would not be a subscriber.

WHITE MAN SHOT

By Worthless Negro at Nortonville Friday Night.

James Hale, a white miner employed by the Nortonville Coal Company, was shot and probably fatally injured at Nortonville Friday night by "Baby" Southall, who is employed by the Oak Hill Coal Co. Squire Shaw and son and Luke Teague were near when the shooting was done, and recognized Southall as the man who did it.

Hale was shot three times and is in a serious condition. It is said by parties who were near that there no words passed between the two men and that Southall was drinking. After the shooting Southall went to his home at Oak Hill where he was soon afterward arrested by Chas. Howell, City Marshal of Nortonville, assisted by Milton Sisk and Roy Blanks and carried to Madisonville.

The South's Marvelous Advantages.
(Manufacturers' Record, Baltimore, August 30, 1904.)

Give free rein to your imagination and let it picture the future of a section which has one-half of the iron ore of the United States, nearly three times as much coal as Great Britain, Germany and Pennsylvania combined, which holds a world monopoly on cotton production and is rapidly becoming a great cotton manufacturing center, which dominates the phosphate rock and sulphur trade of the world, which has much of the richest oil territory known, which has one-half of the standing timber of the country, which produces all the sugar, all the rice, most of the tobacco, and adds to these 800,000,000 bushels a year of grain; and then think of its water powers, its splendid rivers, its great seacoast, its expanding commerce, and remember that its cotton crop alone annually exceeds the total gold and silver production of the world, and that every dollar of gold annually mined on earth is not enough to pay the South's bill against Europe for cotton, and you will get just a faint conception of the future.
No one is defeated until he gives up.

BARON VON STEUBEN STATUE

Albert Jaegers' Model Chosen for Memorial at Washington.

Washington.—The Von Steuben statue, a model of which Secretary Taft, in chairman, has awarded to Mr. Albert Jaegers, of New York, the order to execute a bronze statue of Baron von Steuben, major general and inspector general in the continental army.

Contract appropriated \$50,000 for the statue, which is to be erected at the northwest corner of Lafayette park, in this city, and conforms in size and general type to the statues of Lafayette and Rochambeau already in place in that park.

Seven German-American sculptors were invited to enter a competition last summer by a committee comprised



THE BARON VON STEUBEN STATUE

ing Secretary Taft, Senator Wetmore and Representative McCreary. The result of that competition was that the committee selected the models of Albert Jaegers.
In the accepted model Gen. von Steuben appears in the familiar cocked hat and a long, full, all-embracing cloak, as though facing or enduring the hard composition of the rigorous winter campaign at Valley Forge. He stands squarely facing the observer in an attitude of power and dignity. Slightly leaning with his left hand upon the sword, he is represented as inspecting military maneuvers. His personality, though quiet and simple, is essentially military. The sword he wears is reminiscent of his previous service as an officer of Frederick the Great.

Flanking the statue at the base of the pedestal are two chains of allegorical groups. One of these represents Steuben's life work, "The Training of the American Army." It is worked out in an ideal composition through the Greek in feeling, showing an experienced warrior instructing a youth in the use of his sword.
The group on the other side is a departure from the customary symbols of paying tribute to our heroes, and represents America teaching a maiden to graft a branch to Steuben's memory into her growing tree of fame.

In the design of the entire monument the sculptor, with his associate architect, T. E. Johnson, consulted the artist, the well-known New York architect. They took into special consideration the location of the monument and the general scale of the other monuments in Lafayette park and adapted the design to the classic tendency of the time. This monument will form an important addition to the artistic features of the city and will be in harmony with the grand scheme of the development of Washington proposed by the park commission.

Your light heart makes every task easy.

MADE FROM NATIVE ROOTS. SAFE AND RELIABLE.

That the roots of many native plants, growing wild in our American forests, possess remarkable properties for the cure of human maladies is well proven. Even the untamed Indian has learned the curative value of some of these and taught the early settlers their uses. The Indian never lived worse as he wanted his squaw to get well as soon as possible that she might do the work and let him hunt. Therefore, he dug "poison root" for her, for that was his great remedy for female weakness. Dr. Pierce uses the same root—called Blue Cohosh—in his "Favorite Prescription," skillfully combined with other agents that make it more effective than any other medicine in curing all the various weaknesses and painful derangements peculiar to women. Many afflicted women have been saved from the operating table and the surgeon's knife by the timely use of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Tenderer of the lower pelvic region, with backache, spells of dizziness, faintness, bearing down pains or distress should not be unduly alarmed. A course of "Favorite Prescription" will work marvelous benefit in all such cases, and generally effect a permanent cure if persisted in for a reasonable length of time. The "Favorite Prescription" is a harmless agent, being wholly prepared from native medicinal roots, without a drop of alcohol in its make up, whereas all other medicines, set up for sale through druggists for women's peculiar ailments, contain large quantities of spirituous liquors, which are very harmful, especially to delicate women. "Favorite Prescription" contains neither alcohol nor any harmful habit-forming drugs. All its ingredients are of pure vegetable origin. It is a powerful invigorating tonic, imparting health and strength in particular to the organs distinctly feminine. For weak and sickly women, who are "worn-out," or debilitated, especially for women who work in store, office, or school-room, who sit at the typewriter or sewing machine, or bear heavy household burdens and for nursing mothers, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will restore a precious benefit because of its health-restoring and strengthening power.
For constipation, the true, scientific cure is Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Mild, harmless, yet sure.

SCALY ECZEMA - ALL OVER BODY

Eruptions Appeared on Chest, Face and Neck Were All Broken Out—Scalps and Crusts Formed—How Lady Has Great Faith in Cuticura Remedies for Skin Diseases.

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"I had an eruption appear on my chest and body and extend upwards and downwards, so that my neck and face were all broken out; also my arms and the lower limbs as far as the knees. At first I thought it was prickly heat. But soon scales or crusts formed over the breaking out was. Instead of going to a physician, I purchased a complete treatment of the Cuticura Remedies, in which I had great faith, and all was satisfactory. A year or two later the eruption appeared again, only a little lower; but before it had time to spread I procured another supply of the Cuticura Remedies, and continued their use until the cure was complete. It is now two years since the last attack, and have not seen any signs of a return. I have taken about three bottles of the Cuticura Remedies, and do not know how much of the Soap or Ointment, as I always keep them with me; probably one half dozen of each.

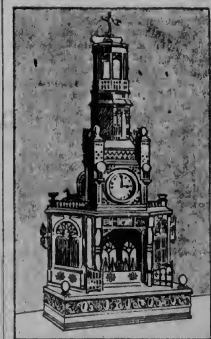
"I decided to give the Cuticura Remedies a trial after I had seen the results of their treatment of eczema on an infant belonging to one of our neighbors. The parent took the child to the nearest physician, but his treatment did no good. So they procured the Cuticura Remedies and cured her with them. When they began using Cuticura Remedies her face was terribly disfigured with sores, but she was entirely cured, for I saw the same child at the age of five years, and her mother told me the eczema had never broken out since. I have more faith in Cuticura Remedies for skin diseases than anything I know of. I am, respectfully yours, Emma E. Wilson, Lincoln, Iowa, Oct. 1, 1904."

CLOCK MADE OF SLATE.

Unique Work of a Pennsylvania Quarryman—Over 160 Pieces Used in Mechanism.

New York.—The tall tower in the picture is not the city hall in Old Amsterdam, the capital of Holland. It is a representation of a unique clock entirely of slate, and the man who made it did not pretend to be an artist or a lineal descendant of Michael Angelo.

Mr. Humphrey O. Pritchard, a fitted quarryman of the little town of Delta, in Pennsylvania, is the author of the remarkable clock. It is certainly an advertisement for Pennsylvania slate. If a man can make a wonderful piece of mechanism out of slate, why couldn't he make watches, bicycles, automobiles, overalls, neckties and even shirt collars out of the slate? This clock was made of a judicious selection of the same material. It is said that Mr. Pritchard used 164 pieces of slate, held together by 23



A SLATE CLOCK.

down small screws, in completing his wonderful bit of timekeeping architecture.

The clock is four feet high and a perfect timekeeper. Railroads should have it. With such a clock big trains ought to climb the Altoona grade and reach the top always exactly on time. Dollar watches are said to kill more people than automobiles, causing business men to miss connections at home. When they are to be at dinner at seven o'clock they often do not arrive until three and four in the morning, and even then are not certain that they are in the right house.
This clock has a set of cathedral chimneys. So beautiful are their tones that one can imagine himself in old Strasbourg, Cologne or the Notre Dame in Paris. It took Mr. Pritchard eight months to complete the wonderful timepiece.

Foley's Honey Tar

Cupid occasionally hands out some cold storage love.

JACKSON HOUSE AN OLD-TIMER

Built Nearly 250 Years Ago in Portsmouth, N. H.

Portsmouth, N. H.—Some of the "old-timers" in the way of houses in New England are in curious contrast to the houses of today. This is true in particular of the old farmhouse, with their sloping roofs reaching almost to the ground and their great central chimneys so large at the base that in some of the old houses there are fireplaces seven feet across and five feet in depth.

The old Jackson house here is one of the most interesting of these ancient houses. This house was built in the year 1661, and is therefore almost 250 years old. Its sloping roof is one of its distinguishing features.

Richard Jackson owned 25 acres of ground when he built the house in



THE JACKSON HOUSE.

1661. He was an industrious and thrifty man, as were most of the inhabitants of that day. The old house has been the home of six generations of Jacksons, and it is still in the possession of the Jackson family. The house fronts on the river, and it is thought to be the oldest house in Portsmouth. The frame of the house is of oak and the timbers for the sills project into the lower rooms.

"All houses wherein men have lived and died
Are haunted houses."

This old house is haunted only by the associations of the long, long years since it was built. The imagination is sure to be pretty active when one stands under these silent roofs, and the only "haunts" ever seen about this old house are those one may see as readily with the eyes closed as open. To tread the very boards and open and close the very doors trod and opened by those who have been in their graves more than 200 years is to give one a strange sensation of nearness to them, and one of a very imaginative turn of mind can easily people the old house with those who once lived there when it and America were young.

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CALLS LAW VIOLATION OF U. S. CONSTITUTION

Decision is Rendered Against the Telegraphers.

FRANK YOUNG IS DISCHARGED

Elmore Declares Congressional Act is Invalid.

Commissioner Takes Stand That Employer Can Hire Whom He Chooses, Notwithstanding Legislation to the Contrary.

(From the Montgomery (Ala.) Advertiser, Sept. 1st.)

Frank Young, of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, was yesterday discharged by Commissioner John A. Elmore, at his hearing on the charge that he had violated the law of the United States in refusing to hire members of the Order of Railway Telegraphers until they had repudiated the order. Commissioner Elmore held that the law was in conflict with the Constitution of the United States. It is possible that the test of the law will be carried to a higher court.

The charge made against Mr. Young that on hiring B. A. Nesmith as a telegraph operator, Mr. Young required of him that he sign a written agreement not to become a member of the order of Railway Telegraphers. This was declared by the plaintiff in this case, the United States, to be in violation of the act approved June 1st, 1898, which seeks to forbid the making of any condition as necessary to the employment of any one by common carriers acting under the direction of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

It was in effect argued by the attorney of the United States that Mr. Young had been guilty of blacklisting, that he was dictating the conditions under which a man could be employed in the service of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, and dictating in violation of an act of Congress.

Commissioner Elmore declined to accept this view of the case. He held that the act under which the charge was brought was unconstitutional. It was his opinion that in the passage of the law Congress invaded the rights accorded the individual under the constitution. Mr. Young was, therefore, discharged.

Elmore's Opinion.

The opinion of the Commissioner in part follows:

"The defendant herein is charged with having violated Section 10 of an act common carriers engaged in interstate commerce, and their employees, in this:

"That the said Frank Young, agent as aforesaid of said Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, on the 28th day of May, 1900, in the county of Montgomery, in the Middle district of Alabama, did require one B. A. Nesmith, a telegraph operator, who was seeking employment as a railroad telegrapher, whose duty is the handling of train orders by wire, and who is a person employed and actually engaged in train operation, or train service, over said Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, as condition of the employment of said B. A. Nesmith, by the said Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, to enter into a written agreement not to become a member of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, a labor corporation, contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided in violation of Section 10 of the Arbitration Act of June 10th, 1898, and against the peace and dignity of the United States."

Decision Controls Whole.

"Defendant has demurred to the complaint, upon which this prosecution is based, and has assigned numerous grounds therefor. However, that to which the attention of this court is

specifically invited is the one which raises the constitutionality of said act. The Commissioner is of the opinion that a decision upon this demurrer controls the whole, and, therefore, will take up that question.

"The fifth amendment to the Constitution of the United States provides: 'That no person shall be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law.' Section 8, subdivision 3, of the Constitution, provides that 'The Congress shall have the power to regulate commerce with foreign nations and with the several states, and the Indian tribes.' This certainly gives the Congress power to regulate commerce among the several states; but does it give Congress the right to prescribe the character of contracts between common carriers and employees? The fifth amendment to the Constitution, we have seen, guarantees that no person shall be deprived of life, liberty property, without due process of law. Does the right to contract by a common carrier with an employee come within the scope of this amendment? These terms, 'life, liberty and property' are representative terms, and govern every right to which a member of the body politic is entitled under the law, within their comprehensive scope embracing the right of self defense, freedom of speech, religious and political freedom, exemption from arbitrary arrest, the right to buy and sell as others may,—all our liberties, personal, civil and political,—in short, all that makes life worth living; and of none of these liberties can anyone be deprived except by due process of law—2 Storey Con. Lim. 5 Ed. Sec. 1950.

"It seems, therefore, that the power to contract between common carriers and employees comes within the meaning of this amendment. The law of the land and due process of law is defined by Mr. Webster in the famous Dartmouth College case to be 'By the law of the land is most clearly intended the general law, a law which hears before it condemns, which proceeds upon inquiry and renders judgment only after trial. The meaning is that every citizen shall hold his life, liberty, property and immunities under the protection of the general rules which govern society. Everything which may pass under the form of an enactment is not therefore to be considered the law of the land.' (Cooler's Case, Con. Lim. 6 ed. 481.)—After all, Congress is but the Agent of the Agent of the People authorized to pass laws in conformity with the constitution, and whenever any law is passed which does not conform therewith, or is repugnant thereto, that law is void."

"I recognize the rule as before stated, that in testing the validity of an act of Congress, that courts shall be careful in their construction against its validity, and not declare an act void unless there clearly appears an invasion of some constitutional guarantee. I have, therefore, been slow to make up my mind upon this question, but after my examination of the authorities, I find that nowhere is the right to make contracts prohibited or abridged unless it be against public policy, or against the general welfare, etc. Act Invalid Constitution.

"It is further contended that Congress invaded the rights under the fifth amendment of the Constitution when it prohibits an employer from entering into a contract with an employee not to join a labor organization, association, etc. It seems that an individual has a right to employ whomsoever he desires, or refuse to employ one whom he does not desire, and should not

be compelled to give any reason for so doing.

Hardship to Employer.

"The law looks upon the acts of corporations as they do those of an individual; and, in that connection a person seeking employment may have interests antagonistic to his employer, it certainly would seem a hardship that Congress could pass a law compelling an employer to give employment to one so situated. If that were so Congress could also compel an employer to labor, against his will, for an employer against whom he had a grievance. It is contended, however, that since Congress has the power 'to regulate commerce between the states' that it has power to make rules governing the details of such regulation. I do not think that the Constitution intended to give Congress this power, for if it did it could say what certain kinds of telegraph instruments should be used by a common carrier. It could say that common carriers should employ negro labor exclusively, or Chinese labor exclusively, or labor who believed only in certain religious doctrines. A right to insist that employees shall withdraw from or refrain from joining any trade union as a condition of employment, or continuation of employment, is within the constitutional rights of an employer, and protected by Constitutional guarantee of due process of law against a statute which makes it an offense for an employer to impose such conditions. (Missouri vs. Jolow, 129 Mo. 136; 29 L. R. A. 267.)

"Mr. Justice Harlan in delivering the opinion in Arthur et al vs. Oakes, et al, 11 C. C. A. p. 209, 68 Fed. Rep. 310, says: 'It would be an invasion of one's natural liberty to compel him to work for, or to remain in the personal service of another. One who is placed under such restraint is in a condition of involuntary servitude, a condition which the supreme law of the land declares shall not exist within the United States or any place subject to their jurisdiction.' The converse being true, it is just that the employer should not be compelled to have in his employ one whom he does not desire, no matter for what reason.

"I follow this doctrine, but as it seems clear to me that Congress has invaded the rights guaranteed by the Constitution in passing this law. I am therefore constrained to declare the same invalid.

"The authorities as cited by the United States Attorney do not bear directly upon the case at bar.

"The demurrer to Section 10 of said act is hereby sustained, and the defendant discharged."

Largest Engine on Earth.

What is said to be the heaviest passenger engine ever built has been delivered to the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad. It weighs 244,700 pounds, of which 170,000 pounds are on the driving wheels. The engine and tender weigh 403,700 pounds and the capacity for water is 7,800 gallons, while that for coal is 15 tons. This powerful locomotive was designed as a step in the development of large passenger locomotives on the Lake Shore road, which began about seven years ago, as a result of which this road has a series of successful designs.

FRISCO STREET CAR STRIKE.

Men Vote to Return to Work, and Submit to Arbitration.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—The carmen's union has voted to go back to work and submit the question of wages and hours to arbitration. This action was taken at a mass meeting of the union. Before becoming effective, however, it must be ratified by the seven affiliated unions. This, it is thought, will be easily obtained, and the strike declared off.

LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

The Railroad Dandy Deaver.

"What makes that feller roar so loud?" Said He Who Never Said:
"He's got to pay, he's got to pay."
The Traveling Salesman said.
"What makes the politician shriek?" Said He Who Never Said:
"They've chopped off all his ambitions," The Traveling Salesman said.

"For they're calling in the passes, And a pull don't go no more; The aldermen must puntle up or Walk from shore to shore; And they say the magistrate's relatives Must settle up their score— For they're calling in the passes to the mornin'."

—Denver Republican.

Central Pacific will Build Longest Tunnel in the World.

The boring of what will be the longest tunnel in the United States, and one of the longest in the world, has very recently been determined upon by the Central Pacific Railroad company.

Chief Engineer Wm. Hood has finished plans and reports for the proposed gigantic six-mile hole to be bored through the Sierra Nevada mountains in California a short distance west of the town of Truckee, Ariz.

The object of this great tunnel is to cut down the present mountain climb of 7,017 feet by fully 2,000 feet, and thus eliminate many of the present curves and much of the grade. Chief Engineer Hood's reports contain some modifications of his first series of surveys, made some years ago, and these will doubtless be approved by President Harriman, and work, it is expected, will very soon be commenced on this great tunnel.

It is estimated that the tunnel will cost not less than \$10,000,000, and that among other things it will cheapen the annual expenses of operating trains over the mountain division by fully \$100,000. Being over 30,000 feet in length, the tunnel will be one of the longest in the world, and certainly the longest in the United States. The longest now in existence on this continent is the 18,000 foot bore in the Cascade range in Washington on the Great Northern railroad.—Technical World.

The Railroad Legislation enacted by the last session of Congress is now in effect. The anti-pass provision of the bill does not go into effect until the first of next January.

Engineer Wm. Griffith, of the Evansville-Providence accommodation, is off on a leave of absence this week. Jack Covert is on his run while he is away.

Brakeman Frank Ransey, who has been in the chain gang service on the north end, has been transferred to the south end and is with Conductor Cannon.

Brakeman Evans, who performed the duties of flagman on the interurban train during Thos. Canslers absence, has entered chain gang service.

Conductor Jesse Smith and Engineer Jack Covert were in charge of the Kentucky State Guard special on the Henderson division last week.

William Skeen, formerly employed at the round house, has accepted a position with the L. & N. shops at Howell, Ind.

Conductor Sam Ingram has been on the interurban train this week, during the absence of Ed Cunningham.

Conductor Ed Cunningham, after a several day's vacation, resumed duty yesterday.

Switchman Wm. Larmouth is confined to his home by illness this week.

Brakeman Cloyd has been taking a few days rest this week.

Engineer J. W. Rowe visited friends here Tuesday.

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AMERICANS IN CUBA COMPLAIN TO UNCLE SAM.

FIGHTING NEAR HAVANA

Government Forces Victorious in the Most Important Clash of the Rebellion.

Washington, Aug. 31.—The Constanza Sugar Plantation Co. has asked for American government protection for their property against raiding parties of insurgents. The demand was based upon the fact that the plantation is owned by American capitalists, and the further fact that the Cuban authorities either cannot or will not afford protection.

This is the first specific complaint made by American capitalists. While the officials of the state department attach no importance to it, there is a feeling that if ever this government intervenes in the affairs of the island, such intervention will come as the result of raids by the insurgents.

It is recognized that the two factions of Cubans desire American intervention in their affairs, but for different reasons.

The strong men back of President Palma, representing the capital and industry of the island, desire the island to become a state or territory of the United States, thereby securing a stable government for all time.

Annexation would result in the disappearance of the tariff wall that now keeps out their crops of tobacco, sugar and tropical fruits.

The insurgents are willing to exchange free Cuba for Cuba under the American government, so as to get rid of Palma and the element back of him.

Fight in Havana Province.

Havana, Aug. 31.—In the most important fight of the present revolution, the rebels in Havana province were defeated by the government forces under command of Gen. Alfredo Rego and Capt. Rosendo Collazo. The clash occurred in the Tapaste hills, near Camp Florida. After two hours' fighting the government troops made a successful charge, routing the rebels and driving them back into the country. The known loss of the rebels was five men killed, but it is believed that at least 10 others lost their lives. One of the dead is Capt. Herrera, a negro. Capt. Collazo and Corporal Martinez were wounded, these being the only casualties on the government side. The rebels who were defeated were part of Col. Ascher's command.

RUMOR OF A NAVAL SCANDAL

Lieut. Edward H. Dunn Said to Have Been Dismissed.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Papers in one of the ugliest naval scandals that has developed recently are now in the hands of Acting Secretary of Navy Newberry.

It is the case of Lieut. Edward H. Dunn, who was tried at San Francisco on charges of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, and on a charge of drunkenness and neglect of duty.

He was temporarily in charge of the training ship Franklin, and was charged with drunkenness and taking women of unsavory character on board the vessel.

It is stated that he has been found guilty and sentenced to be dismissed from the service, although no announcement has been made at the navy department.

The Finest Ever.
London, Aug. 30.—Vivian Nickalls, writing on the performance of the rival crews, says the Harvards are better than any crew that ever came from America.

BRYAN GETS OVATION

RETURNED TRAVELER GREETED BY VAST THROG.

OVERCOME WITH EMOTION

Address at Madison Square Garden, in Which He Gives His Views on Questions of the Day.

New York, Aug. 31.—The home coming of Wm. J. Bryan was made complete when he was greeted in Madison Square Garden by a throng of welcome numbering more than 20,000. It was such a welcome as seldom if ever has been accorded a private citizen.

Mr. Bryan's eyes filled with tears as he acknowledged the thundering welcome from 20,000 throats. For eight minutes, while the great building seemed to tremble and shake from the shouts and applause, he strode nervously from side to side of the platform.

Another demonstration greeted Mr. Bryan when he told his hearers that he had been converted to the cause of government ownership of railroads. "I favor the control of only the trunk lines by the national government," said Mr. Bryan, and the ownership of all other railroads by the state governments.

In an instant thousands of voices were raised, and thousands of faces were turned toward a speaker, the speakers' stand, where William Randolph Hearst sat.

"Three cheers for Hearst," was the cry, which swelled until the speaker's voice was drowned for a moment.

The reception, which was given under the auspices of the Commercial Travelers' Anti-Trust League, proved really to be the sounding of the democratic campaign call. Mr. Bryan's speech was a clear-cut outline of his ideas as to what the democratic policy should be. The election of United States senators by direct vote of the people; regulation of the trusts by the people; universal eight-hour day; settlement of all internal disputes by arbitration rather than by resort to force and revision of the tariff, were his chief points. Mr. Bryan declared, however, that he was merely expressing his own opinion and not attempting to forecast the policy of his party.

Mr. Bryan declared that the trusts are the great issue of the day. He favored the closest supervision of the organization of corporations, and declared that no man should be a director of two or more corporations which deal with each other, engaged in the same line of business. He called for the enforcement of the criminal clause of the Sherman anti-trust law, and the placing of trust controlled articles on the free list.

He discussed government ownership of railroads at length, and declared that what he had seen in other countries had served to strengthen his convictions on the subject. He saw danger in centralization, however, and for this reason advocated federal ownership of trunk lines and state ownership of local lines.

The speaker scored the republican congress for not passing the legislation urged by President Roosevelt, to give publicity to campaign contributions. He gave the president some praise for what he termed his adoption of democratic ideas.

Mr. Bryan hoped that the income tax may some day be imposed through an amendment to the constitution. He referred briefly to the recent insurance investigation, and said, smilingly, that he believed the disclosures would result in difficulty in securing large campaign contributions in the future.

Referring to the financial question, Mr. Bryan said that the unexpected and unprecedented discovery of gold had brought victory to both the advocates of the gold and the advocates of bimetallism.

"The republicans have gained as much pleasure and some partisan advantage," he said, "from the discovery from our ranks on the money question, that they ought not to be grudge us the pleasure we find in the fact that conditions have removed the cause of discord and dissension."

Mr. Bryan spoke for one hour and twenty minutes, and was constantly interrupted by cheers and applause.

The only discordant note heard during the evening was sounded when Mr. Bryan turned to a discussion of Socialism, and declared that the man who says the trust is an enemy to growth and has come to stay is the one who is helping the socialist.

Some one yelled, "Three cheers for socialism," but the call was drowned in hisses.

Mr. Bryan quickly said: "My friends, I have no objection to any man expressing himself in favor of socialism, because the socialist, as a rule, is an honest man. He is seeking what he believes to be a benefit with argument and not abuse. I deny that the trust is an institution necessary for economic purposes. I deny that it is an economic institution at all. It is not economic. It is political. It rests not on natural laws, but on man-made laws."

There were several outside remarks, the principal one of which was addressed by Representative Sulzer of New York, Gov. Glenn of North Carolina and Mayor Delmon of Omaha.

When Mr. Bryan had concluded his address at a few minutes after 10 o'clock, and appeared, quite exhausted, he received another ovation.

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MINING NOTES.

Evansville Man Will Raise

Fruit and Flowers Underground.

Col. Frank B. Posey, surveyor of the port at Evansville, Ind., has decided to experiment with the raising of vegetables underground. He proposes to plant gardens under the surface of the earth and to raise the fruits and flowers of the tropics besides producing garden stuff out of season.

A few years ago Colonel Posey bought 260 acres of land in Tigeon Creek, lying partly in Spencer and partly in Warrick counties. On the place is a coal mine that was abandoned seventeen years ago. Recently Colonel Posey caused the shaft to be reopened and to his surprise he found that, unlike nearly all abandoned mines the interior chambers were intact. The earth's crust is unusually hard at this particular place and consists largely of rocky formations which resist the disintegrating effect of the elements.

Colonel Posey organized an exploring party and investigated all of the ramifications of the abandoned mine. He found it covers an area of 200 feet long and of varying width. These chambers are about 100 feet below the surface of the earth. He learned by taking temperatures that the interior of the mine remains constantly at 55 degrees, the even temperature of the earth. This temperature is a varying, winter and summer, and is the temperature most conducive to the growth of plant life. Furthermore the air is saturated with carbonic gas, upon which plants thrive.

The State Geological Survey has recently issued a valuable bulletin of 141 pages, bound and well illustrated with maps and other explanatory illustrations, showing the extent and quality of the coals embraced in the territory south of Louisville and between the Tug Fork of the Big Sandy and the headwaters of the north fork of the Kentucky river. The area covered comprises about two thousand square miles and includes the counties of Johnson, Martin, Floyd and Pike, a large part of Lawrence and parts of Knott and Letcher counties. The character of the coal is chiefly bituminous but in various designated localities are to be found also seams of cannel coal of excellent character.

Much of the bituminous coal has superior cooking qualities, especially that known as the Elkhorn coal, which has an extensive area and is of unusual thickness. While the coal dealers of Nashville have not decided upon a date for the usual advance in the price of coal to take effect, it now seems probable that it will take effect on Oct. 1. For many years the price of domestic coal has advanced to the old prices along in September or October. This year the dealers are at variance about the date,

and the dealers advance may not take effect before Oct. 1.

Messrs. H. C. Thompson, of London, Ky., with associates, have closed a lease for 10 years with the Chicago-Tennessee Coal and Coke Co., at Waldensia, Tenn., for 2000 acres of coal lands, together with mines and mining plant and other equipment.

Much of our textile materials now come from the mines. Silk rustles with 80 per cent of silks of tin, flannel is weighted with epsom salts and linen tablecloths are made from cotton filled with china clay and starch.

The Cincinnati Gas, Coke, Coal and Mining Co., is reported to have closed a contract to purchase the output of 10 coal mines in Pike county, Ky. The contract is for a period of 12 years.

Hardin Tweedle and family expect to spend several weeks with relatives in Christian county in the near future.

Thos. Longstaff, Sr., foreman of the Shamrock mine, Providence, was here Sunday visiting relatives.

Wm. Isabell spent Sunday at Nortonville.

Resolutions on Death of N. M. Holman.

Madisonville, Ky.,
Sept. 4, 1900.

To The Bee:—

Madisonville Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, in the sudden and untimely death of brother N. M. Holman, mindful of the emptiness of words at such a time, is wholly unable to express its sorrow and loss in former resolutions. While the members weep with those who weep and would offer heart-felt condolence, nevertheless they are made to rejoice that, the daily life and walk of the deceased, his unaltered honor, character and reputation survive him, and stand forth as an enigma to which they may not add.

In view of the beautiful life so recently gone out, one is led to exclaim:

"So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom"....."and approach the grave like one that draws the drapery of its couch about him, and lies down to pleasant dreams."

From the minutes of Madisonville Lodge No. 143, of which the deceased was an honored member.

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Dr. J. C. Williams

Drug Talk

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Yours greatly,
Mrs. Harry Burke.

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MORTALITY

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strain which is said to accompany life in the latter.

Competition in bidding for mail contracts, particularly in rural districts, is fast becoming a matter of history, according to Postoffice Officials. Formerly Uncle Sam found carriers for many of the smaller routes for practically nothing, but in nearly every such case the man who holds the job nowadays receives a more or less adequate compensation. Under the old regime, the most extraordinary condition of affairs often existed. For instance, the mail carrier at Lake Charles, La., was under contract for four years to pay to the government the sum of \$50 a year for carrying the mails by steamer a distance of fifty-five miles three times each week, the value to the carrier being found, of course, in the business standing which he derived from the service. This contract has just ended and the new incumbent is

to receive a salary of \$2000 a year for doing just the same work that cost his predecessor \$50 annually. A still more curious instance of the old order is found in the case of West Bridgeton, Vt., where the carrier, for going twelve times a week to Woodstock, six miles away, received the princely remuneration of one cent each year for his services. His successor now receives \$100. A former carrier of Freedom, N. H., also distinguished himself by carrying the mails several miles early for two and a half miles a year. The job now pays \$150. Altogether, Uncle Sam's letter carriers are coming into newer and better conditions, to which the automobile as a future means of distribution forms a very attractive if not yet actually existing addition.

Talk would seem to be cheap in England at present, according to information received at the State Department—that is, talk by means of mechanical devices for communication be-

tween distant points, for the English government finds itself compelled to reduce to a great extent the tolls on the telegraph lines, which it runs, in order to compete with the privately-owned telephone. A rather curious condition of affairs exists in England from the same cause, that has left her far behind the electric railways as compared to this country; that is, the municipal ownership craze, since the privately owned telephone is to a great extent used for the transmission of long distance messages which in this country on account of greater personal convenience are naturally sent by telegraph. The English government, indeed, finds increasing difficulty, according to the reports received here, in competing thro' its own telegraph lines with the telephone—about the only thing which has not yet come under the control of municipal ownership in King Edward's Isle. But even when tempted by low rates, the Englishman doesn't seem to care to take advantage of them, for, according to the latest report of the Census Bureau, Americans use the "phone" and the "wire" many times oftener than do the natives of the mother country. All of which would seem to indicate that John Bull has found his government and city business monopolies more or less of a losing game.

The shirt-waist man who came, struggled against criticism, and disappeared, is likely to find in the United States Army the perpetrator of the custom he attempted to set. Soldiers in shirt-waists, that is the gist of the suggestion recently made to the War Department by General Leonard Wood, commanding the Philippines Division. His suggestion in particular is that the troops of his command be authorized to wear the rank insignia on their shirts under conditions which make it admirable

to dispense with the coat. Unfortunately, there is no money available for the purchase of additional insignia, but the War Department has authorized the use of khaki chevrons on the shirts, and General Wood will be allowed to regulate the practice of leaving off the service coats, uniformity, however, being insisted upon in the matter in the interest of discipline and neatness.

Tie Score Decided.

Privates Chas. B. Stokes and Herbert Smothers, who made the same score at the rifle range during the encampment at Henderson, which was mentioned in last week's issue of THE BEE, decided who was the best marksman before Co. "G" left camp. Private Smothers made a total score of 102 out of a possible 150 at the three ranges thereby gaining the distinction of being the second leading marksman in the local company. Mr. Stokes' score was 84 at the three ranges.

Fifth State Development Convention.

The Executive Committee of the State Development Association met in Louisville Monday and set October 10, 11 and 12th, 1906, as the time of the Fifth State Development Convention at Winchester. Active preparations have been begun in Winchester for the convention and will be pushed from now on until the meeting in October. It promises to be the largest and most important gathering of the year in the state. A plan for a permanent organization will be presented to the convention for adoption, which it is believed will make the Association a stronger organization and give it greater power toward carrying out its objects.

Much of interest to the business people of the state will be discussed at the convention at Winchester, and plans mapped out for its work. Speakers of national reputation and special

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ists on particular subjects of agriculture, mining, manufacturing, etc., will address the convention.

Delegates to the convention will be named by the county judge of each county, mayor of each city, and by each commercial club organization. Anyone who wishes to attend the convention can be appointed a delegate direct upon application to the Secretary of the convention. Last year at Louisville about 500 delegates were present, and some 90 counties of the state represented by business men of the county.

Judge J. M. Benton, of Winchester, was elected Vice-Chairman of the Executive Committee, and P. J. Altizer, of Winchester, is secretary of the convention.

WILL PROSECUTE STANDARD OIL

J. J. Sullivan, Cleveland District Attorney, to Push Case.

Chicago.—John J. Sullivan, of Cleveland, O., who is coming to Chicago, to prosecute the Standard Oil company on evidence of railroad rebates, uncovered at Cleveland, has for seven years been United States district attorney for the northern district of Ohio. Mr. Sullivan is 46 years old and was born in New York city. When he was ten years old he was adopted by ex-Attorney General James McCartney, of Illinois, then a resident of Flora, Ill. A year later he was sent to Mr. McCartney's sister-in-law at Gustavus, O., where he was brought up. He was



JOHN J. SULLIVAN.
(District Attorney who will prosecute the Standard Oil Company.)

graduated from the Gustavus academy and in 1885 was admitted to the bar. From 1890 to 1896 he was prosecuting attorney of Trumbull county. As a member of the state senate he presented at different times the names of J. H. Foraker and M. A. Hanna for United States senator. It was his speech when presenting Foraker's name that attracted President McKinley to him.

American Reporters Arraigned. Her highness the maharajah of Baroda, now sojourning in New York city, complains of being annoyed by reporters. "Why is it the newspapers want to interview me?" she asked. "I have never been so pursued in my life. The things some of them say about me are not true. It really is too bad. I have refused absolutely to be interviewed here because it is distasteful to me, and besides I cannot see how my opinions would interest American people. America may be for ahead of India in civilization, but in India we would never make visitors in our country so unhappy by pursuing them as you do here. It may be the way of civilization, but it is the first time in my life I have ever been pursued. I have traveled in Europe and England and never have my slightest movements been so followed by a curious crowd."



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